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National Treasury submits Finance Bill 2022/2023 to Parliament

The Finance Bill, 2022 was tabled at the National Assembly on Tuesday, 12 April 2022. The move set the stage for consideration of what is Kenya's biggest budget ever, at three point six trillion shillings. The public has been invited to submit comments on the Bill before it is approved by Parliament and assented into law sometime in June. Click <u>here</u> to read a summary of the proposed amendments the Bill seeks to make to various Tax Laws.

EVENTS

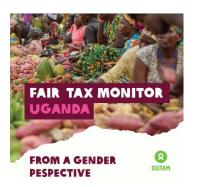
NEWS

Launch of the Citizens' Manifesto on Public Debt Accountability and Economic Justice.

The Okoa Uchumi Coalition, a consortium of civil society groups on 5th of April 2022 launched a citizen-driven manifesto aimed at pushing for political accountability and fortifying constitutional safeguards in public debt management. The manifesto is a concerted voice of citizens in various diversities calling for public debt accountability, and resolution of Kenya's debt crisis. Access your copy here



PUBLICATIONS



Fair Tax Monitor Uganda (FTM)- From a Gender Perspective

The Fair Tax Monitor (FTM) is a unique evidence-based advocacy tool that makes it possible to identify the main bottlenecks in tax systems and provides strong evidence for advocacy. At the same time, the standardized methodology allows for comparison of tax policies and practices across countries. This report is the third FTM study conducted for Uganda. It stands apart from previous studies by focusing on the gendered impacts of Uganda's tax system. <u>Access</u> <u>your copy here</u>..

BLOG

Vote for good tax plans

Whatever one's political stand is in the August 9 general election, the issues should boil down to what prospective presidential candidates will present as a viable economic way forward. At the heart of this are debates on what kind of tax policies should be put in place so that the country can become more productive and provide jobs that will uplift the society out of the current morass. <u>Read more</u>..







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